

NEW PUBLIC LANDS TO BE OPENED SOON

Vast Tracts of Fine Sugar and Rice Lands to be Given Away.

WILL BE ENTERED OCTOBER 15

Indications are That There Will be a General Rush, as Inquiries Have Been Coming for Several Months. Land Fine for Rice and Sugar-Cane.

Register Robinson and Receiver Chubb of the United States land office have received notification from the general land office at Washington that on October 15th of the present year plats of the resurvey of margin of Lake Okechobee, Florida, in the following townships will be filed in the United States land office at Gainesville, and will be subject to homestead entries.

The plats as furnished by the general land office are as follows: 37 S., 25 E.; 37 S., 36 E.; 38 S., 36 E.; 37 S., 35 E.

These lands are among the most fertile and best adapted to the culture of sugar-cane and rice in the United States, and already indications are that there will be a big demand for them, as inquiries have been coming in the land office here for several months.

South Florida, especially the country bordering on and which has been drained from Lakes Okechobee and Kissimmee, is destined to become the leading sugar producing country of the United States, and probably of the world, in proportion to area. It will be remembered that for years since Lake Kissimmee and its tributaries were drained by the Disston Land Company, when millions of acres have been cultivated in sugar-cane and rice, the influx to that section has been steady and profitable, and the planters today of that section as a rule are prosperous and contented. The opening of this land in the Okechobee section means the same thing, and it is safe to say that within the next few years Florida will be supplying the markets of the world to a large extent with syrup, sugar and rice.

BIG TURPENE DEAL.

Yearwood & McDonald of Melrose Have Sold Their Interests.

Papers have been filed with the clerk of the circuit court of this county transferring the immense naval stores interests of Yearwood & McDonald, Melrose, to the Melrose Manufacturing Company, the consideration being \$10 and other valuable considerations.

This is one of the largest and most important naval stores deals made in this county for some time, as Yearwood & McDonald were extensive operators. The deal comprises not only lands in Alachua, but in Putnam, Clay and Bradford counties as well, and in the aggregate embraces several thousand acres of fine round timber.

Beautiful Women.

Plump cheeks, flushed with the soft glow of health and a pure complexion, make all women beautiful. Take a small dose of Herbine after each meal; it will prevent constipation and help digest what you have eaten. Mrs. Wm. M. Stroud, Midlothian, Tex., writes, May 31, 1901: "We have used Herbine in our family for eight years, and found it the best medicine we ever used for constipation, bilious fever and malaria." Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Death of Miss Ennis.

Miss Daisy Ennis died at her home on East Arlington street Thursday morning, after an illness of several months with consumption, and was interred in Evergreen cemetery Thursday afternoon, Rev. S. B. Rogers of the First Baptist Church officiating. Deceased is survived by a mother and three sisters, to whom the sympathy of friends is extended.

NATURE SPARES

The Stricken Rose From Grief. What a fortunate provision of nature it is, that deprives the rose of mental suffering, after a long and painful life of grief to discover, in the height of its blooming glory, that a cankered and its heart, and that its beauty and fragrance were doomed forever. Nature always spares the suffering; she is a veritable store-house of pleasing rewards, for those who seek her aid. In the years gone by falling hair and grayness have cast a gloom over the lives of thousands of young women, but thanks to the investigations of scientists the true cause of hair destruction is now known to be a germ or parasite that burrows into the hair follicles. Newbro's Hairicide absolutely destroys this germ, thus permitting the hair to grow as nature intended. Sold by leading druggists. Send for a sample for sample.

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CURES WHERE ALL ELSE FAILS
Best Cough Syrup Tastes Good
Use in time. Sold by druggists.

GUARDS GETTING READY.

Are Drilling Three Times a Week to Prepare for Encampment.

Captain Layton and Lieutenants Blanding and Graham of the Gainesville Guards are putting the company through preparatory to attending the encampment of the Second Infantry, Florida State Troops, which will be held in Orlando for ten days, beginning October 5.

The members of the company are manifesting a great deal of interest in their work, and are determined to go to the encampment the most efficiently drilled company in the regiment, if hard work and enthusiasm count for anything.

The prospects are that Captain Layton will take a fine company to Orlando, and one that will be a credit to the city and regiment.

Earthquake at Hisingen Island.

Gothenburg, Sweden, Sept. 28.—A severe earthquake was felt at 1:30 p. m. yesterday at Luby, Hisingen Island. It cracked the walls of houses and fissured the surface of the ground. Subterranean rumblings were quickly distinguished by violent rocking of the houses, the splitting of inner and outer walls, driving the inmates to seek safety in the open air. In many places fissures a foot wide were opened up while the level of the ground in the eastern part of the island sank appreciably. The disturbance lasted a minute.

Accidentally Killed Nephew.

Swainsboro, Ga., Sept. 28.—At his home at Summit, this county, Mr. Willford shot and killed his 13-year-old nephew. Mr. Willford claims the shooting was accidental, and says that he was shooting a pistol out of the window of his home when the boy accidentally passed in front of the weapon. The child was killed instantly. It is understood that Mr. Willford has not been arrested.

Model Wives.

In a wedding sermon entitled "The Rib Restored," preached in St. Dionis Back church, Fenchurch street, in 1655, by Richard Meggot, afterward dean of Salisbury, the preacher thus defined a good wife:

"A help she must be in her family, being not only a wife, but a housewife—not a field wife, like Dinah, nor a street wife, like Thamar, or a window wife, like Jezebel, but a housewife." And another preacher about the same date, the Rev. Simeon Singleton, said that a wife should be at once like and unlike three things. "First, she should be like a snail, always keep within her house; but she should not be like a snail, carry all she has upon her back. Secondly, she should be like an echo, to speak when she is spoken to; but she should not be like an echo, always to have the last word. Thirdly, she should be like the town clock, always keep time regularly; but she should not be like the town clock, to speak so loud that all the town may hear her."—T. P.'s London Weekly.

Patiently Wait For Her.

A Missouri contemporary rises to remark: "Once I was young, but now I am old, and I have never seen a girl that was unfaithful to her mother that ever came to be worth a one-eyed button to her husband. It is the law of God. It isn't exactly in the Bible, but it is written large and awful in the miserable lives of many unfit homes. I'm speaking for the boys this time. If one of you chaps comes across a girl that, with a face full of roses, says to you as she comes to the door, 'I can't go for thirty minutes, for the dishes are not washed yet,' you wait for that girl. You sit right down and wait for her, because some other fellow may come along and carry her off, and right there you lose an angel. Wait for that girl and stick to her like a bur to a woolly dog."—Kansas City Journal.

Playing Her Cards.

Tommy—May I stay up a little longer? Ethel—What do you want to stay up for? Tommy—I want to see you and Mr. Green playing cards. Mr. Green—But we are not going to play cards. Tommy—Oh, yes, you are, for I heard mamma saying to Ethel that everything depended on the way in which she played her cards tonight.

His Past and His Present.

"What do you know about his past?" asked Mabel. "Just enough to make me a little suspicious about his present," said Mabel, examining with a magnifying glass the diamond ring the young man

DR. STROUSE IS DOING GOOD WORK.

Delivered Fine Sermon in Bowling Green, Kentucky.

NEXT WINTER'S PROGRAM

This Distinguished Divine Writes That He Has Used Precaution, and Has Selected Finest Program for Gainesville Ever Seen in Florida.

Rev. Clarence B. Strouse has been working with religious effect in Bowling Green, Ky., as shown by the following from a recent number of The Daily News of that place:

"One of the most eloquent, earnest and forceful sermons ever preached in this city was the one Rev. C. Strouse delivered at the State Street Methodist Church yesterday morning before a congregation that literally packed the main auditorium, the Sunday school rooms and the platform. It was forceful throughout—not a word or sentence that bordered on the mediocre—and was listened to intently by the large congregation in attendance. There is no sort of doubt of the ability of this young divine, and it is not to be wondered at that he has had such a potential influence in religion wherever he has been, and such a man always has a large following and exercises great influence."

Dr. Strouse writes a friend here that he expects to engage in evangelical work in St. Paul, Minneapolis and New Jersey cities and Boston before returning to Gainesville, which will bring him here early in December.

Dr. Strouse concludes with the statement that he has used a great deal of precaution in selecting a Bible Conference and Chautauqua program, which will be the most thorough and complete Florida has ever had.

LOW RATES

From Jacksonville, Fla., Via Atlantic Coast Line Railroad.

\$37.00 Washington, D. C., and return, on sale daily to September 30th, limited to October 31st, 1905.

\$23.90 Washington, D. C., and return, on sale October 8th and 9th, limited to October 15th, 1905; can be extended to 25th on payment of 50 cents.

\$25.25 Hot Springs, Ark., and return, on sale October 8th and 17th, limited to November 30th, 1905.

\$46.05 Chicago, Ill., and return, on sale October 23d and 24th, limited to November 5th, 1905.

\$10.85 Atlanta, Ga., and return, on sale October 9th and 19th, limited to October 23d, 1905.

Corresponding low rates from other points in State.

See Atlantic Coast Line agents or write for Pullman reservations and full information to Frank C. Boylston, District Passenger Agent, Jacksonville, Fla.

The Original.

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. These worthless imitations have similar sounding names. Beware of them. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar is in a yellow package. Ask for it and refuse any substitute. It is the best remedy for coughs and colds. J. W. McCollum & Co.

GAINESVILLE'S FAVORITE RESORT.

Alachua Pool Parlors.

C. Barnes, Proprietor.

Located in the Porter Block, south side square. Three first-class tables. Good lights, and prompt and courteous service. The public is cordially invited and always welcome.

Miss M. Norton.

Gainesville Circulating
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Only the Latest Popular Fiction.

SPECIAL SUMMER TERMS. See our book showing three changes during the week. Books must not be kept out over one week without receiving.

A GREAT EDUCATIONAL MOVEMENT!

A Magnificent Library Worth \$500
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Something, SUN Readers Should Consider

Read the Following Details Carefully:

The Mystery Surrounding the Beautiful Display in G.
W. HYDE'S Window Revealed in the following

A number of our enterprising merchants have arranged what will prove to be a most interesting contest between the High School, Twentieth Century Club, Odd Fellows' Home, B. P. O. Elks, Volunteer Firemen, Masons, W. O. W., K. of P., Gainesville Guards, Kirby Smith Chapter or J. J. Finley Chapter of the U. D. C., or any church, Sunday school, hospital organization or institution you would wish to own the beautiful library valued at \$500, now on display at G. W. Hyde.

THE REWARD will be a magnificent library, consisting of 200 volumes of the standard subscription publications of the day as follows: The Great Chas. Dudley Warner "Library of the World's Best Literature," 46 volumes; "Library of the World's Greatest Classics," 30 volumes; the Anglo-American Dictionary and Encyclopedia, 12 volumes; Library of Oratory, by Dewey, 15 volumes; Works of Balzac, 36 volumes; the Library of Poets, 32 volumes; the World's Best Essays, 10 volumes; History of Our Great Commanders, 12 volumes.

Each and every one of these books are specimens of the best mechanical

execution, which examination will prove.

The conditions of the contest are as follows: Any lodge, church or school, club, hospital or organization, public or private, is eligible to the contest. Votes for individuals will not be counted. With each 10 cents purchase a ticket will be given by the merchants through whose liberality these grand libraries are furnished, on which will be written the amount of the purchase and the number of votes. The purchaser will write on the ticket the institution or organization for which he or she desires to vote, sign their names and deposit the ticket in the ballot box in the store in which the purchase is made.

The standing of the contestants will be published exclusively in each Sunday's issue of The Sun until October 14th, 1905, at 7 o'clock p. m., when the remaining votes will be counted, and the magnificent library awarded to the organization having the largest number of votes. The Sun will publish in each issue a coupon which will entitle the holder to two votes that will be credited to the institution that is written on space provided for same, when delivered to the ballot boxes in either of the stores.

Voting Tickets Can be Secured From the Following Merchants:

G. W. HYDE.

The leading Dry Goods store. Voters, remember this is headquarters.

Marcus Endel.

The leading Clothier, Men's Furnisher and Tailor of Gainesville. We satisfy the most exacting demands of all. Votes count here.

Gainesville Furniture Company.

The big Furniture store, where you can vote every payment you make, cash or installments. Don't overlook this valuable precinct.

L. C. Smith.

The best and largest variety of Shoes in town. We have the pair you want. We have the votes. Come and see us.

J. S. Bodiford & Company.

The reliable druggists. A busy store where the voting will be heavy. We have them.

J. W. McCollum & Company.

The up-to-date Druggists. The votes are here. Come see us.

L. C. Smith.

The leading Jeweler. Our splendid stock will supply the most exacting demands. The votes are here in plenty.

A. L. Vidal & Company.

The only Soda Fountain, Confectioner and Book dealer issuing votes. They count here.

W. R. THOMAS.

Our Buggies, Wagons and Harness are the best at the right price and a vote worth going after. Our laundry department affords a splendid opportunity to vote.

W. S. Dorsey & Company.

The Grocery and the Market offers the strongest precinct. 75 per cent of your voting strength is with the grocery; every meal you serve, it's voting. Bring your account and vote when you pay the same.

Gainesville Planing and Coffin Co.

A glorious opportunity for contractors to vote for their favorite. A load of wood 10 votes. Don't miss them.

W. D. Fagan & Company.

Our Meats and Vegetables are the best the market affords. Vote here.

Gainesville Steam Laundry.

Give us your work; save the bundle slips. Get your friends to do likewise. Take them to our agency and get the votes. Big item.

A. M. Cushman.

Votes will be issued for premiums on new policies written or old policies renewed, provided such premiums are paid within thirty days of date of policy. For each 10 cents of premium one vote will be issued.

Mrs. S. W. LeGrande.

The only Millinery and Notion store issuing votes. Vote here.

Merchants, Note Carefully.

The rules of the contest provide that each merchant shall carefully make a record of his vote on Friday night of each week, sending a duplicate of same to The Daily Sun, on Saturday before noon of each week, over his own signature, including the tickets, carefully wrapping and tying them up in as small a package as possible; write your own name and date of delivery on each so that they can be filed away with your records and delivered to a committee on awards appointed at the close of the contest.

THE SUN'S Voting Proposition.

Under no circumstances will an employe of this paper be allowed to cast a vote in this contest.

We will give a premium of 75 votes for every paid three months' subscription, 200 votes for every paid six months' subscription and 500 votes for every paid subscription for one year to Daily Sun, and 200 votes for one year's subscription to Semi-Weekly Sun. Old subscribers get the same number of votes by paying their subscriptions in advance. Every voter should be a subscriber. To the institution securing the largest number of votes in this manner we will award at 7 o'clock p. m., October 14th, 1905, 10,000 votes.

LIBRARY VOTING COUPON.

This coupon entitles the holder to two votes that can be cast for any institution competing for the beautiful library, when properly filled out, signed and returned to the ballot boxes in either of the above stores.

Name of Institution.....

Name of Voter.....

THE DAILY SUN.